

REQUEST FOR RETURN OF COPYRIGHT DEPOSITS

Dated at Washington, D.C.
May 5, 1924

Register of Copyrights,
Library of Congress,
Washington, D. C.

MAY -5 1924

Dear Sir:

The undersigned claimant of copyright in the work herein named,
deposited in the Copyright Office and duly registered for copyright pro-
tection, requests the return to him under the provisions of sections 59 and
60 of the Act of March 4, 1909, of ~~one or~~ both of the deposited copies of the
pictures entitled Christmas

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under Class....., Xxc., No. ©CLL 20150.

If this request can be granted you are asked and authorized to send
the said copy or copies to me at the following address:.....

.....or

to.....

at.....

Signed R-C Pictures Corp.
(Claimant of Copyright)

By J. E. Burns.

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Synopsis

"Christmas"

by

Carter De Haven

Copyrighted 1922

by

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"Christmas" ✓

Starring Mr. and Mrs. Carter De Haven
Story by Carter DeHaven ✓
Scenario by Beatrice Van ✓
Cameraman Lee Garmes
Directed by Mal St. Clair ✓
Distributed by Film Booking Offices of America, Inc
Footage -
Released December 24th
Reels - 2 ✓

Synopsis
"CHRISTMAS"

The day before Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carter find their colored cook about to go home over Christmas to cook dinner for her little son. In order to have their dinner, for which Flora's family is invited, they coax Dinah to bring her little Sambo to their house for the day.

Carter crosses the bay for the groceries. His pocket is picked, and in trying to catch the ferry, he jumps and lands in the bay. Dinah's present for Sambo arrives in a big crate. It is a goat, which brings consternation to Flora.

To alibi his delay and account for his wet clothing, Carter weaves a glowing tale about having plunged into save a little girl at the dock. A neighborhood gossip who say him jump into the water comes in and tells on him, whereupon Flora gets peevish, but Carter "squares" it by giving her his present, a beautiful jewelled bracelet.

The goat eats its way out of the box and creates a lot of trouble finally causing Carter to fall as he is decorating the tree. At last Carter gets to bed -- on the ironing board, having given up his bed to Flora's parents -- and so spends a restless night.

Near dawn the goat awakens him, and he dons his costume to play Santy for the children. Then follows an exciting game of tag in which a burglar, dressed as Santy, is the pivotal character, with the grandfather and a score of other apartment residents in pursuit.

In the end the burglar is captured through Carter's efforts and he becomes not only Santy Claus, but the hero of the apartment house. And the family enjoys the Christmas dinner all the more for the zest given appetites by the adventures of the day.

The End

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